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 Filed: December 11, 2001 )  
 For: A READ/WRITE HEAD FOR A )  
 MAGNETIC TAPE DEVICE )  
 HAVING GROOVES FOR )  
 REDUDING TAPE FLOATING )  
 Art Unit: 2651 )  
 Examiner: Unassigned )

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- (X) Signed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- (X) Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet with a check in the amount of \$ 40.00.
- (X) Assignment(s) of the invention to Fujitsu Limited.
- (X) Formal Drawing Transmittal and Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 (3 pages).
- (X) A Check in the amount of \$ 740.00 to cover the basic filing fee is enclosed.
- (X) A check in the amount of \$ 130.00 to cover the late fee for oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) is enclosed.
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- ( ) Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 07-2069.
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are three (3) sheets of formal drawings to be substituted for  
Sheets 1, 2 and 3 of the drawings initially filed in the above-identified application for a  
patent.

Respectfully submitted,

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - Drawings must be in dark ink (not pencil), except where color drawings or photographs are permitted.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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